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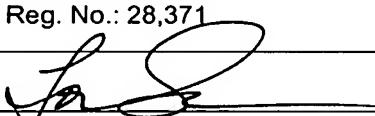
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		Filing Date	February 15, 2002
		First Named Inventor	Masahiro Matsuo
		Group Art Unit	2836
		Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

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Independent Claims	-** =	<input type="text"/> x <input type="text"/> = <input type="text"/>	
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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 0.00)				

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130.00
127	50	227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month	
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117	920	217 460 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218 720 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228 980 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219 160 Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221 140 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241 640 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242 640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243 230 Design issue fee	
144	620	244 310 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
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146	740	246 370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	740	249 370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	740	279 370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
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Docket No.: R2180.0121/P121
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Masahiro Matsuo, et al.

Application No.: 10/075,624

Group Art Unit: 2836

Filed: February 15, 2002

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
POWER SUPPLY CAPABLE OF
EFFECTIVELY REDUCING A POWER
CONSUMPTION**

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

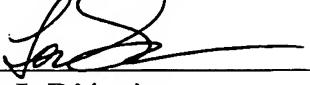
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed March 13, 2002, Applicant respectfully submits a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney and an Assignment.

Our check in the amount of \$130.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any

paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1073, under Order No. R2180.0121/P121. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: May 9, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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